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You want to help others in your community learn how to be safer and better prepared.

## How can you do this?

- •Make a list of organizations and groups in which you participate, such as faith-based, common interest clubs, civic or fraternal organizations. Working with these organizations, there are many things you can do to help others.
- •Talk to the organization leader or newsletter editor about including Citizen Corps and emergency preparedness articles. Volunteer to contribute a series of articles.
- •Propose having short presentations about Citizen Corps and emergency preparedness at organization meetings. Offer to schedule the presenter and to do some extra promotion of the meeting.
- •Talk to the organization leader about including some Citizen Corps and preparedness information in the next mailing or email distribution. Volunteer to provide the extra information.
- •Have a table or display with Citizen Corps and emergency preparedness information at organization meetings.
- •At the next bake sale or garage sale, have some Citizen Corps and emergency preparedness information available to share with the public.
- •Suggest to the organization leader and members that you work together to help the local Citizen Corps Council plan and staff an information booth at local fairs and festivals.
- •Share your ideas for helping others to be safer and better prepared for emergencies. Send them to the West Virginia Citizen Corps coordinator or your local Citizen Corps council.